County of San Diego Sweetwater Community Planning Group

REGULAR MEETING MINUTES TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2009 7:00PM

Bonita-Sunnyside Fire Station, 4900 Bonita Road, Bonita, CA 91902

Administrative Items

Roll: Don and Georjean Jensen, Harriet and John Taylor, Steve and Liz Stonehouse, Uwe Werner, Rick Blacklock, Don Scovel, Doc Stokos, Alan Sachrison and Mark Kukuchek. Absent: Gretchen Burkey, Muriel Watson

Minutes for the meeting of November 3, 2009 were approved

Public communication:

Michael De La Rosa, from Supervisor Greg Cox's office gave this report. There is a three month review period for the Cal-Trans grant for the vacation of Proctor Valley Road with public comment. Supervisor Cox supports the road closure so is seeking other funding while this is being sorted out. Chula Vista is waffling about doing it's own CEQA study. Uwe wanted to know whether San Miguel Road could get speed humps to solve the speeding problem there. There are design dollars available for the equestrian trail by San Miguel Road. And there is no update on the Briarwood drainage issue. Don Scovel made the motion: To ask the fire chief to come to discuss speed bumps or humps. Uwe seconded. Passed unanimously.

Item #3: Vacation of San Miguel Rd. Bike lane east of Conduit Action. The easement is 50' wide and 750' long. What is wanted is the trail easement over this area vacated. Alan moved to table. John seconded. Unanimous.

Item #4: CA-SDG5212C Bonita Highlands Water Tanks Additional cell sites. The William Lynch from the cell company was in attendance as well as a large group from the area where the cell site is to be added. After all the complaints were sorted out, the main issue became that no one could clearly state whether there were three or four units on each tower. Also, no one could state with assurance what was going to happen. John Taylor spoke to the conflicting information being given and that the citizens were having a discussion in the middle of the meeting. Addiitonal information is needed. Rick moved to table. Georjean seconded. A letter from Melody Hernandez was read. She was opposed to the cell sites on the towers, and complained that the sites were too close to houses, and that there was too much traffic at all hours working on the cells. She also mentioned the hazard of the transmissions. Voted unanimous to table. Item #5: Announcements and Updates.

Alan asked when the Willow Street Bridge project was starting which is a Chula Vista project.

Liz reported on the DPW meeting on the General Plan she attended and had requested that property at Central and Sweetwater Rd and the property east of the firestation not be rezoned commercial. Michael stated that Sweetwater was indeed on the maps, just not probably in an area where she looked.

Georjean wished everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Move to adjourn Rick, seconded by Liz. Adjourned: 8:10 pm

Respectfully submitted Liz Stonehouse, Secretary Next meeting: January 5, 2010